

Hopkinsville Kentuckian.

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TUESDAY, APRIL 23, 1889.

Murat Halstead is seriously ill of rheumatism.

The Tennessee Press Association will meet in Nashville, May 12th.

Sir Julian Pauncefote, the new British Minister, has reached Washington.

Hon. S. S. Cox, of New York, will lecture in Bowling Green Thursday night next.

The mercury went up to 82 degrees at Pittsburgh Friday and two men were sunstruck.

The Boomers' Paradise was opened yesterday at noon. Lively times were expected.

Webster county Republicans have put out a candidate for the Legislature, in the person of Sam Trice.

Another plot to blow up the Car of Linolia with dynamite has been discovered and the plotters arrested.

The Republicans will hold their State Convention at Louisville, May 22, to nominate a candidate for State Treasurer.

New York City suffered a \$2,000,000 fire Friday. Most of the property destroyed belonged to the N. Y. Central Railroad Co. Several lives were lost.

The "Pigs in Clover" puzzle has struck Hopkinsville. A KENTUCKIAN man after peering the porkers two or three times lowered his record to 55 seconds.

Postmaster General Wanamaker has a branch of his Philadelphia clothing store in operation in Washington that is doing a tremendous business.

It will be 200 years next September since the first paper mill in America was started at Roxbury, Mass., and it is proposed to celebrate the occasion in a befitting manner.

The Clarksville Progress of Saturday appeared in an immense illustrated and tinted edition of twenty pages, which is a credit not only to its publishers but to the city of Clarksville as well.

The late postmaster of New York City, H. G. Pearson, who was removed a few weeks since, died Saturday at the home of his father-in-law, ex-Postmaster-General James, aged 45 years.

Next Friday is Confederate Decoration Day and for the benefit of the old soldiers who wore the gray, the Kentuckian gives to-day a large amount of space to matter appropriate to the occasion.

The long lost passengers of the Danmark have been heard from. They were picked up by the steamer Missouri and taken to the Azores. There were nearly 700 persons aboard the Danmark, all of whom were saved except the engineer, who was killed by an explosion that disabled the vessel.

A popular young lady of the Institute and a married lady of Iowa so closely resemble one another that comical mistakes are frequently occasioned by the resemblance.—Madisonville Item.

Who makes the mistakes? The husband?

"Spring Chickens" is the latest. It is just as bad and unsatisfactory as the others. It is modeled after "Pigs in Clover" and "Cows in the Corn." It is a little tin affair, with five leaden bullets to represent the spring chickens. The coop is in the center. If you are right easy you may have a chance of getting the chickens safely cooped. If you are not a slow, cautious man, you need not try it.—Nashville American.

The following military companies are expected to take part in the Centennial parade on April 30: West Point Cadets, 400 strong, head of column. State troops in the order: Delaware 750 men; New Jersey, 3,700; Georgia, 35; Connecticut, 60; Massachusetts, 1,500, including the Ancient and Honorable Artillery; Maryland, 500; South Carolina, 350; New Hampshire, 1,000; Virginia, 500; New York, 12,000; North Carolina, 150; Rhode Island, 450; Vermont, 700; Kentucky, 450; Ohio, 4,500; Louisiana, 400; Mississippi, 60; Michigan, 400; District of Columbia, 800; Florida, 200; West Virginia, 500. In addition there will be 1,000 United States regulars and 1,000 sailors and marines from the navy.

The Owensboro Messenger, which appears to know more about the Collector's race than any other paper, has this in its Sunday issue: "Three days ago the Messenger predicted the appointment of Mr. John Feland as collector of internal revenue at Owensboro within that week. The appointment has not yet been made, but the delay is a matter of only a day or two. A dispatch from Washington is printed this morning stating that Mr. Feland's appointment only awaits the arrival of Collector Wood's resignation, which was expected yesterday. Mr. Feland and Wood doubtless have an understanding that the latter, by sending in his resignation now and settling the appointment of the former at once, beyond the peradventure of a doubt, shall hold the office until the close of the present fiscal year, June 30."

A NEW POINT.

An Act of the Legislature That Seems to Settle the O. V. Case.

Another strong point has been made in the O. V. case, which will be tried by the Court of Appeals about May 1st, that was not made in the lower court. It has been discovered that the last legislature passed an act adopting as the "General Statutes" the latest edition of the Bullitt and Feland statutes, in the preface of which these gentlemen state that they have included every State law now in force, and from which the 1870 act is omitted. Here is the act:

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:

1. That the edition of the General Statutes published in the year 1887, by Joshua F. Bullitt and John Feland, from Chapter 1 to Chapter 113, inclusive, shall constitute and be known as the General Statutes of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, and shall be designated and cited by the words, "The General Statutes," adding the number of the chapter and section, when necessary, and as such are adopted as the law of the land. Provided, That this act shall not be held or construed to repeal any general or public act passed since 1873, or in force and effect at the date of the passage of this act, and not included in the edition above mentioned.

2. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved April 13, 1888.
Hon. John Feland, one of the compilers of the General Statutes, is attorney for the county and is expected to establish the fact that he omitted a general law from the "General Statutes" of this State. This is the one point in the case and Mr. Feland is certainly placed in an embarrassing attitude.

The taxpayers of Muhlenburg County were expected to meet at Greenville yesterday to consider a proposition to settle the railroad debt of the county at 20 cents on the dollar. Debt and interest now amount to \$55,000 and the bondholders propose to take \$131,000. This would require a tax levy of \$2.50 on the \$100 to pay off the debt, which it is proposed to divide and pay in two years. The county is now in a deplorable condition, without magistrates to administer justice, without money, credit or the power to levy a tax for paying county officers. It is not the kind of a county that outsiders would care to settle in and if the people are wise they will embrace this opportunity to compromise their debt and take a fresh start.

At the closing session of the recent Mormon Conference at Salt Lake City, George O. Cannon read the statistics of the church, which are: Twelve apostles, 70 patriarchs, 3,719 high priests, 11,805 elders, 3,000 priests, 2,292 teachers, 11,610 deacons, \$1,899 families, 115,915 officers and members, 49,302 children under eight years of age, a total Mormon population of 153,911. The total number marriages for six months ending April 6, 1888, was 530; births, 3,754; new members, 488; excommunications, 113. Cannon said that many young men were leaving the territory to take up land elsewhere. The statistician, he said, had been called together to build up Zion, and this gathering must be stopped.

Loving Gaieties makes this request in the Elton Progress:

"Our brethren of the press who have been so copious of late in their nuptial notes, will please do us the kindness to state that we are NOT married but still open to negotiations. This we believe to be just and to injured innocence, as we have long since made our arrangements to be on hand at the press convention at Owensboro and 'have a time.' Barkis is willing but there is no Peggy to be found."

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years it was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years Doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly upon the blood and mucous surface of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for literature and testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

"Sacred to the Loved and Lost."

A report having gone abroad and been given a degree of credence that Monday was to be the wedding day of the editor of this paper, he was made the recipient by mail of the following letter which tells its own sad story. In the right hand corner of the missive was the image of a lady drawn in tears and with uplifted hands, while the center page was suitably epitaphed. It is all too good to keep to ourselves and in the face of a woman's wrath we will venture to give the contents to our readers:

"SACRED TO THE LOVED AND LOST."
"Tis better to have loved and lost, than never to have loved at all."
You here behold a monument to my hopes; but in spirit you see a faint resemblance of me drawn in tears, but with pleading hands imploring you if my letters have not been already destroyed, to read them by return mail before another—blonde or brunette takes possession of you and yours.

Yours Disconsolate,

DIED.

At the residence of Chas. M. Meacham, Thursday night April 18th, after an illness of five weeks, Mrs. Margaret Norris Roach. Mrs. Roach was a native of Jefferson county, New York, being born near Watertown, February 14th, 1831. Her parents were Presbyterians and early in life she became a member of that denomination. When a young lady she left her home and went to Lexington, Ky., where she remained for a short time and then went to Clarksville, Tenn., and from there to Trigg county, Ky. In 1861 she was married to Capt. C. W. Roach, a wealthy and influential citizen of Trigg. While living in Trigg county Mrs. Roach deposited her church letter with the Presbyterian church in this city. Afterward Capt. Roach took up his residence here, and soon thereafter died.

During her widowhood Mrs. Roach spent part of her time with her only sister in Watertown and in Trigg county, but considered Hopkinsville her home. She was not a lady who possessed many intimate friends, but those who knew her will testify that, while of strong prejudices her friendship was equally strong, and her gratitude was almost unbounded. Since her death we learn that, after the death of her husband, whereby she became the possessor of a handsome competence, while on a visit to Watertown, she heard of a lady in destitute circumstances with a large number of children, who had befriended Mrs. Roach's mother in her early life. Prompted by gratitude she sought out the family. After staying awhile with them she arose to leave and extending the parting hand to the mother, left a check for \$1,000 for the kindness shown her mother in former days.

She was an active member of the church, but took special interest in the work of the Sunday School, and the last time she attended the school had the happiness of seeing the last member of her class unite with the church. Mrs. Roach's acts of charity were more numerous than were generally known. Her contributions to the support of the Gospel were large, and only a few months before her death she made an unconditional present of her late residence to the First Presbyterian Church. She was an educated lady and a very good student of the Bible. Her faith in Christ never wavered, and an intimate friend who talked with her just before her death says that she did not fear to die, but had the full hope of going to Christ when the time for her departure came.

At her own request Dr. H. H. Allen, Principal of Princeton College Institute, an old friend and pastor, and who was born in the same neighborhood as herself, preached her funeral sermon at the First Presbyterian Church. She expressed the desire not long before her death that Rev. Hendrix, of Clarksville, who united her in marriage with Capt. Roach, should also be present, but he was unavoidably prevented. Her remains were deposited in the City Cemetery last Saturday afternoon.

The late Dr. Austin Flint, professor in Bellevue Hospital Medical College, Fellow of the New York Academy of Medicine, member of the state medical societies of New York, Virginia, Rhode Island, Massachusetts, etc., says in speaking of advanced kidney disease (or Bright's): "Fatal termination is many times due to pericarditis (heart disease), apoplexy, difficult breathing, dropsy." The foregoing are but symptoms of disease. That being the case there is nothing absurd in the claim made by the proprietors of Warner's Safe Cure that they prevent apoplexy and cure heart disease, etc., with Warner's Safe Cure. Why? Because it removes the cause of disease, and when the cause is removed the symptom called a disease is cured.

One More Show.

It was expected that the last show would close the season, but a date has been made with the Gorman Minstrels, a company too good to let go by. It will be here Saturday night April 27. The Cincinnati Times Star says: "The Gormans made a great hit at Havlin's Theatre yesterday. The house was crowded at the matinee, and in the evening a large number were turned away. One of the most remarkable features of the performance was that it is given without the usual first part. In fact, this old-time minstrel 'chestnut' is omitted and in place of it there is something in the shape of a musical melody given that is replete with acrobatic feats and any number of minstrel novelties. The afterpiece is perfect in its way. It goes by the name of 'The Golden Ball,' and is one of the most entertaining things in its line that has been given by any minstrel show."

Home Beautifiers.

As has been previously stated Mr. N. G. Brasher has associated himself with Mr. Pierce Renshaw under the firm name of Renshaw & Brasher, and will conduct the furniture and undertaker's business at Pyle's old stand. Mr. Renshaw was of the firm of C. R. Clark & Co. formerly, but Mr. Clark having sold out his interest in the business, this new firm has been organized. Mr. Brasher is an experienced business man and the firm has every assurance of success. They keep in stock everything in the furniture line from a mirror to a bedroom set and will sell as low as same quality of goods can be sold in the State. For completeness and assortment their stock can not be excelled and those contemplating beautifying their homes will do well to see this new firm before making their purchases.

Oklahoma Jottings.

(Chicago News.)

Extracts from the first number of the Kingsfisher (Oklahoma) Boomer of April 27, 1889:

"Rafe Timberligger paid us a pleasant visit yesterday and told us that he had just won a fine quarter-section at a shooting match with a tenderfoot. He paid the funeral expenses himself. Rafe is a gentleman."

"We learn that the seven new towns started west of this place overlap each other very seriously. One man from Illinois lives in three of the towns at once and is running for mayor of all of them."

"Coroner Goosefelter is so far behind in his work that he requests us to inform his patrons that he is doing the best he can. His friends will oblige him by not making efforts to increase his business at this time."

"Jim Triggers called on us yesterday and traded us a nickel-plated derringer for a year's subscription to the Boomer. He got the derringer from a man who died suddenly after calling Jim a horse-thief. Come again, Jim."

"There will be a faro game and a Sunday school running in this town to-morrow. All are invited."

"The new cemetery south of town is meeting with general favor."

"If any reader of the Boomer sees anything that he doesn't like in this paper we will gladly take it back in our next issue."

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